

CONFERENCE OF DIV. SUPERINTENDENTS

Provide for An Annual Educational Conference Week.

MID - SUMMER CONFERENCE

A Joint Meeting of the Southern Board and the State Teachers.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
CHARLOTTESVILLE, VA., July 5.—The annual conference of the division superintendents of the State, after a session lasting through two days, adjourned at 10 o'clock to-night. The following standing committees were appointed to serve until July of next year:

On Procedure—F. P. Brent, of Richmond; Frank T. West, of Louisa; D. L. Pulliam, of Manchester.

On School Laws—Pulliam, of Manchester; M. M. Lynch, of Winchester; Hall, of Fairfax; D. M. Brown, of Petersburg; Effinger, of Rockbridge.

On Education Associations—Stearns, of Salem; Rhoads, of Henry; Watson, of Pittsylvania; Saunders, of Portsmouth; Hilliard, of Middlesex.

On High Schools—Abbott, of Bedford; Harris, of Nelson; Russell, of Bristol; N. C. White, of Bath; W. C. Morton, of Newport News.

On School Funds—Rust, of Roanoke; Shumate, of Loudoun; Copenhaver, of Smyth; R. W. Fox, of King William; Rawls, of Isle of Wight.

On School Buildings and Grounds—McCluer, of Buena Vista; J. H. Davis, of Prince Edward; Shelton, of Floyd; E. W. Scott, of Orange; Nottingham, of Northampton.

On Practical Education—Clerkson, of Prince William; Twyman, of Buckingham; Hannah, of Appomattox; Everett, of Albemarle; Belcher, of Buchanan.

On Unification and Grading of Schools—Joyner, of Accomack; Hulvey, of Rockingham; Hall, of Fairfax; Washington, of Caroline; Irwin, of Radford; Roy, of Warren.

On School Libraries—C. L. Scott, of Amherst; Powell, of Dinwiddie; Graves, of Page.

On Normal Schools—Maphis, of Charlottesville; West, of Louisa; Russell, of Bristol; Bridges, of Gloucester; Glass, of Lynchburg.

MORNING SESSION.
The morning session of the conference was called to order at 9 o'clock by Superintendent of Public Instruction Southall. The roll call showed the presence of sixty of the 117 superintendents. While waiting for Captain C. E. Vawter, the first speaker on the program, the superintendents listened to an able address from Dr. John B. Kennedy, of New York.

Batavia system is the talk of the educational world.

Captain Vawter, of the Miller School, spoke on "Practical Education," and the subject was further discussed by Superintendents J. H. McInturf, of Shenandoah, and Galvin Rawls, of Isle of Wight.

Superintendent William M. Davidson, of Lee, read an interesting paper on the "Unification and Grading of Rural Schools." This topic was further developed by Superintendent C. L. Scott, of Amherst.

The afternoon session was given over to a discussion of the duties and functions of the inspectors and examiners, recently appointed by the State Board of Education. Four of the five examiners were present, as follows: A. S. Thomas, of Lynchburg; W. H. Jenkins, of Newport News; E. H. Russell, of Bristol; and Charles G. Maphis, of Charlottesville.

NIGHT SESSION.
The final session of the conference was held to-night. The paper by Superintendent D. L. Pulliam, of Manchester, on "District High Schools and Normal Schools—The Imperative Demand of the State," was the subject of the evening.

The last topic for discussion was "Our Public School Teachers—How to Enhance Their Efficiency and Increase Their Pay." The chief paper was read by Superintendent M. D. Hall, of Fairfax. Superintendents R. D. Baker, of Wise, and C. W. Dickenson, of Cumberland, also spoke.

EDUCATION ASSOCIATION.
The Committee on Education Associations submitted a partial report which

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R. L. Spencer, of Williamsburg, was designated as the chairman, to whom all notices and fees shall be sent. The rules and regulations governing primaries adopted by the State Committee were adopted.

The meeting adjourned to meet again at the courthouse, Williamsburg, July 22d, at 12 o'clock.

The committees of James City county and city of Williamsburg will hold a joint meeting at Tonia next Saturday to fix a date for holding the county and city primaries.

Mr. R. T. Gregory, who was here to-day in the interest of his candidacy for the House of Delegates, to-day filed his application and paid the fee, as required by the rules of the committee adopted to-day.

MANN IN CAROLINE.
Makes Two Speeches on the Fourth of July.

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BOWLING GREEN, VA., July 5.—Judge W. H. Mann made two speeches in Caroline yesterday. The first was at Campbell's Mill, near Penola, at a picnic, and the other at Bowling Green, at night. In the courthouse, the crowd here was composed mostly of ladies and boys, with about thirty-five voters present.

The speech was about the same as has heretofore been published. The judge is a pleasant speaker, and with his wit and anecdotes, illustrating points, made an enjoyable hour. He said he had made only one promise, and that was to a pretty girl in Augusta county, who wanted to be a colonel on his staff, and asked that no pretty girls would make any requests, as he could not resist them.

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A WOMAN ATTEMPTS TO TAKE HER LIFE

Young Wife, Despondent, Swallows Four Antiseptic Tablets.

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NORFOLK, VA., July 5.—Saying that she was overwhelmed with troubles because, she said, her husband had mistreated and then deserted her, Mrs. Henry McClain, twenty-one years old, employed in the family of Mr. James E. Lambert, corner of Edgecombe Street and Colley Avenue, attempted suicide this morning by swallowing four antiseptic tablets. Not finding Captain Dalton, she waited a few moments, and then went out. The poison was swallowed as soon as she left the station. Mrs. McClain was found lying on the ground where she had fallen after taking the poison. She was carried into the station, where physicians revived her. One of the tablets she swallowed was enough to kill an average person. The arrival of the physicians saved the young woman's life. McClain appeared at the police station later in a carriage, and drove off with her wife.

There is hope for the life of the boy, James McCormick, who was run over by the Flaco Beach car last night. His condition to-day is favorable to recovery. His right leg was amputated at the knee and two of the fingers of his right hand were cut off. They had been crushed by the wheels so that it was impossible to save them. In addition, his skull was fractured.

Claude Saylor is recovering from stab wounds at St. Vincent's Hospital. He was brought there last night, having been stabbed by an unknown drunken man at Pine Beach. The drunken man picked a quarrel with Saylor and stabbed Saylor when the latter resented insults and struck the insulter.

Bride Could Not Save Him.
LEGG HAYBOR, N. J., July 5.—Florina Renault, of this place, drowned in the Mullica River, near Clark's Landing, this morning, despite the heroic efforts of his wife, a bride of only a few weeks, to rescue him.

Seized with heart disease, he fell from the boat and sank. The young wife leaped into the water, waiting for him to come to the surface, but the body did not reappear.

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DEATHS.
BANKS.—Died, in Richmond, Va., on the evening of the 6th of July, MRS. VIRGINIA BANKS, widow of John Banks, Major A. D. Banks, of Virginia. She was the daughter of Colonel Joseph Perkins, of Mississippi, and granddaughter of Colonel Patrick Henry Fontaine, of Virginia.

Funeral TO-DAY (Thursday) at St. Paul's Church at 6:45 P. M.
HATCH.—Entered into rest, July 2, 1905, at his residence, 704 West Grace Street, at 9:40 A. M., MR. EUGENE FRANKS HATCH, aged 61 years.

Funeral services were held July 2, 1905, from above residence, at 7:30 P. M. Interment was made July 4th, at 10 A. M., in family cemetery, near Kenansville, N. C.

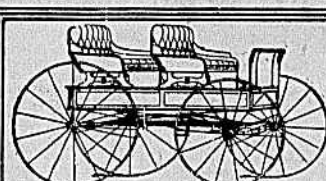
MOORE.—Entered into rest, at 4:30 P. M., July 5, 1905, at Richmond, Va., AMES BLYTHE MOORE, of Bon Air, Va., son of the late Rev. T. V. Moore.

Funeral from No. 1500 Park Avenue, Friday, July 7, 1905, at 10 A. M.

WRIGHT.—Died, July 5, 1905, at the residence of her mother, 483 Fulton Street, MARY E. WRIGHT, infant daughter of Sarah P. and the late Bernard L. Wright, aged 10 months and 16 days.

Funeral services will be held Thursday (Thursday) AFTERNOON at 6 o'clock. Friends and acquaintances invited to attend. Interment in Oakwood Cemetery.

MARRIAGES.
FLORANCE—GRAHAM.—Married, at the residence of her aunt, Mrs. Reynolds, June 6, 1905, by Rev. Dr. William E. Evans, MR. C. ALEXANDER GRAHAM, of New York city, to MISS MARY F. FLORANCE, of Richmond, Va.



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